OPINION 1442

Eugynothrips Priesner, 1926 (Insecta, Thysanoptera): Cryptothrips conocephali Karny, 1913 designated as type species

Ruling

- (1) Under the plenary powers all previous designations of type species for the nominal genus *Eugynothrips* Priesner, 1926 are hereby set aside and *Cryptothrips conocephali* Karny, 1913 is designated as type species.
- (2) The name Eugynothrips Priesner, 1926 (gender: masculine), type species by designation in (1) above Cryptothrips conocephali Karny, 1913, is hereby placed on the Official List of Generic Names in Zoology.
- (3) The name *conocephali* Karny, 1913, as published in the binomen *Cryptothrips conocephali* (specific name of the type species of *Eugynothrips* Priesner, 1926) is hereby placed on the Official List of Specific Names in Zoology.

History of case 2503

An application for the designation of *Cryptothrips conocephali* Karny, 1913 as type species of *Eugynothrips* Priesner, 1926 was received from Dr D. J. Brothers (*University of Natal, RSA*) and Dr L. A. Mound (*British Museum (Natural History)*, *London*) on 3 December 1984. After correspondence the case was published in BZN 42: 382–384 (December 1985) and, notice was given to thirteen general and ten general serials. No comment was received.

Decision of the Commission

On 1 December 1986 the members of the Commission were invited to vote for or against the proposals published in BZN 42: 384. At the close of the voting period on 1 March 1987 the state of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative votes — 20: Alvarado, Bayer, Bernardi, Cocks, Cogger, Corliss, Dupuis, Hahn, Halvorsen, Holthuis, Kabata, Kraus, Lehtinen, Melville, Mroczkowski, Savage, Schuster, Starobogatov, Trjapitzin, Willink

Negative votes — none.

Gruchy and Ride were on leave of absence. No votes were returned by Heppell, Thompson and Uéno.

Original references

The following are the original references to the names placed on Official Lists by the ruling in the present Opinion:

conocephali, Cryptothrips, Karny, 1913, Bulletin du Jardin Botanique de Buitenzorg, 2: 98 Eugynothrips Priesner, 1926, Treubia, 8 (Supplement): 157.